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Jennifer Gilroy, Revisor of Statutes Office of Legislative Legal Services State Capitol, Room 091 200 East Colfax Avenue Denver, CO 80203

RE: Required Notification Pursuant to HB12-1268, as modified by HB13-1155

Dear Ms. Gilroy,

Pursuant to HB12-1268 (as modified by HB13-1155), the responsibilities associated with the assessment of compliance with the federal fire safety code requirements for health facilities including the review of construction plans and conduct of inspections is to transfer from the Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment to the Division of Fire Prevention and Control, effective July 1, 2013. This transfer is conditioned upon approval by the Secretary of the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services.

Transmitted herewith is Governor Hickenlooper's request for has approval of the transfer and the approval letter from HHS Secretary Kathleen Sebelius (dated December 10, 2012).

If you have any questions or require anything further from me regarding this matter, please contact me.

Sincerely,

Paul L. Cooke, Director

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Colorado State Patrol

Colorado Bureau of Investigation

Division of Criminal Justice

Division of Fire Prevention and Control

Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Management

